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## EXTRA SPECIAL Saturday

Another lot of Fancy Ribbons, all Silk Taffata, Satin Taffata, Grosgrain and Moire Ribbons, assorted colors, all wide widths. Per yard

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One lot of Silk Veiling, white and black only. Just the goods you want for right now use, and an unusual Bargain at our very low price. Per yard

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ton county, Mo., asked for exemption on the grounds that he had stone bruises on his feet, caused by hiking over the Ozark hills, that he had groundoff teeth from eating parched corn, that he was the sole support of his wife and seven children and that it kept his "nose to the grindstone" to keep them all alive. The board told Neb he must get a letter from his wife stating the condition at home and bring it to the board. Neb could not read, and this is what his wife wrote and gave to him to give to the board: "Dear United States army: My husband ast me to rite you a reckmend that he supports his family. He can't read so don't tell him. He ain't no good to me. He ain't done nuthin' but drink lemmin essence and play the fiddle sence we married eight year ago, and I gotta feed seven kids of hissen. Maybe you can git him to carry a gun. He's good on squirrels and eatin'. Take him and welcum. I need his grub and bed for his kids. Don't tell him this, but take him. Mary Jane Wilkinson."

### Probate Court Docket

List of executors, administrators, guardians and curators, who are required to exhibit their accounts for settlement the day named below at the November term, 1917, of said court to be begun and holden at the courthouse in Marble Hill, Bollinger county, Missouri, commencing Monday, November 12, 1917.

Monday, November 12  
Estate of B. F. Bowers, minor, Edward Bowers, guardian.  
Estate of James Belchamber, deceased, Vinnie E. Belchamber, executrix.  
Estate of John J. Bollinger, ward, Sarah C. Crites, guardian.  
Estate of Doris Crites, minor, Adeline Crites, guardian.  
Estate of Ransom Gay Chandler, minor, W. K. Chandler, guardian.

Tuesday, November 13  
Estate of Leo Collins, et al, minors, Claude Collins, guardian.

Estate of Wm. P. Fulbright, minor, Alex Seabaugh, guardian, deceased.  
Estate of Olive Francis, et al, minors, Chas. H. Barker, guardian.  
Estate of Anna Francis, et al, minors, Thomas Shelton, guardian.  
Estate of Elmer Guthrie, et al, minors, James N. Ladd, guardian.

Wednesday, November 14  
Estate of Nora J. Hobbs, ward, Chas. O. Hobbs, guardian.

Estate of Lawrence Lizenbee, minor, J. H. Jenkins, guardian.

Estate of Wm. T. Ladd, deceased, Wm. A. Ladd, administrator.

Estate of Joseph Manning, deceased, Adelheid Manning, executrix.

Estate of Sarah and G. H. Myers, minors, W. K. Chandler, guardian.

Thursday, November 15  
Estate of Elias Mouser, et al, minors, Geo. W. Bidwell, guardian.

Estate of Berly Mouser, et al, minors, Geo. M. Myers, guardian.

Estate of Catherine Poston, deceased, John W. Vangilder, administrator.

Estate of Ernest H. Reimon, minor, E. D. Hardie, guardian.

Estate of J. C. Ridings, deceased, J. D. Ridings, administrator.

Friday, November 16  
Estate of Alex Seabaugh, deceased, W. C. Bollinger, administrator.

Estate of Jessie Schenks, et al, minors, W. K. Chandler, guardian.

Estate of Annie D. Snider, minor, Robert Drum, Sr., guardian.

Estate of Sarah Seabaugh, deceased, Rude Sample, executor.

Saturday, November 17  
Estate of Clarence Swindell, minor, S. J. Swindell, guardian.

Estate of James Seabaugh, deceased, J. W. Seabaugh, administrator.

Estate of Mrs. Francis Thele, deceased, Henry J. Thele, administrator.

Estate of Mary Wicecarver, ward, N. J. Wicecarver, guardian.

All administrators, executors, guardians and curators whose names appear in the above list must appear and make settlement on their respective days according to requirements of law.

W. C. Cole, Judge of Probate.

### Rural Carrier Examination

The United States civil service commission has announced an examination for the county of Bollinger, Missouri, to be held at Marble Hill on November 10, 1917, to fill the position of rural carrier at Marble Hill and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above-mentioned county. The examination will be open only to male citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a postoffice

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There is nothing so appetizing, nothing so cheering, as a good, delicious cup of Coffee for breakfast, such as is made from either of our five grades of Roasted Coffee. If you are not already one of our satisfied customers—better get in line NOW.

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Add One Cent per pound extra

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## The Peoples Supply Company,

LUTESVILLE, MISSOURI

### Fort Randolph, Panama Canal Zone

October 7, 1917.

DEAR EDITOR:

Will write a few lines to THE PRESS, as I enjoy reading the news from home very much, and if it were not for THE PRESS I would be all alone, but I get it every week and have plenty of time to read the news from home.

Every one here seems to be enjoying life very much and will most likely be more so by this evening, as today is pay day for the whole post.

We had an awful storm here last night and also plenty of rain, but did not do any damage. I can't say whether the rain helped the crops so much for we haven't but few crops to look after and they consist mostly of bananas and coconuts.

Well, will tell you something about our home. We have a big, two-story barracks and it provides plenty of room so that each man may have a bed to himself. We have plenty to eat most of the time, but we certainly have begun to get acquainted with what we call the very slim. This we have for dinner on Saturdays. The boys all say, though, that if they will come on with the rice pudding we will come out O. K.

We are expecting to be called upon to go to France real soon, as there has been several gone from the Canal Zone in the last two months, and most of the men seem to be anxious to go.

Several of the other boys and I visited one of the hospital ships which just came from France, but the men were not so badly wounded as those who came through the canal on the Marama, although the boys all seemed to think that they were bad enough to change their minds on the going to France proposition.

Would like to hear from you Camp Funston field artillery men for I certainly enjoyed your last two items.

I enjoy hearing from any one from Bollinger county for it is so much more like home here when I can hear from the Bollinger county people. My address is Fort Randolph, Panama Canal Zone, 10th company, coast artillery corps.

Yours truly,

LUTHER F. YOUNT.

Scott County Banner.

Dewey Hatcher, a young man about 20 years old, who had been employed by J. D. O'Connor was killed Wednesday by the team he was driving. He was using a wagon

without a bed on it and was riding on the front bolster driving when the wagon came uncoupled precipitating him under the heels of a young mule which became frightened and commenced running and kicking him, he being caught in the wagon in a manner that held him fast. The remains were interred in the Hickory Grove cemetery Thursday.

Sikeston Herald.

Two lives were lost and three business houses were destroyed in a fire at Caruthersville early Monday morning. About four o'clock while Otis Kelley, the night cook in Masdon's cafe, was getting ready for the morning business, he discovered that the building was on fire. He gave the alarm, then made every effort to arouse the sleepers on the second floor of the building, used as a rooming house. He returned to some of the rooms the second time and succeeded in awaking all but two, whose lives were lost. Mr. Gossett of Tiptonville, Tenn., and Charles (Buck) Smothers, an employee of Mr. Masdon, were the unfortunate ones.

### Great Is Missouri

The Daviess county oat record is held by R. E. Weldon, who claims 226 bushels on two acres.

A contrary sunflower is reported from Lexington. It is twelve feet high and its flowers all turn away from the sun.

A big beet is proudly displayed by R. H. Simpkins near Marble Hill. It is 22 inches long and 21 inches in circumference.

F. G. Ashbaugh, aged 82, of Avalon is a bee specialist. He looks after 75 hives and last year's yield of 7000 pounds he sold for \$845.

Near Tanner Mrs. J. M. Tyler had 25 hills of cucumbers from which she put up 35 gallons of pickles and sold \$20 worth to the neighbors.

Missouri's oat crop this year averaged 38 bushels to the acre and totaled 42,405,000 bushels, as compared with 24,831,000 bushels last year.

Alfred Jones near Maryville threshed 138 bushels of clover seed from eight acres, selling it at \$10 a bushel so that the yield on seed alone netted him an average of \$172.50 an acre.

This year's corn crop out and away from all frost danger is estimated at 280,000,000 bushels, being exceeded only by the output of Illinois and Iowa. It is the largest yield since 1902.—St. Joseph Observer.

### They Took Him

Neb Wilkson, of Palmer, Washing-

in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in form No. 1977. This form and application blanks may be obtained from the office mentioned above or from the United States civil service commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the commission at Washington at the earliest practicable date.

### STATEMENT

For the information of members of the Bollinger County Farmers' Mutual Aid society and others who may be interested, I will say that I have collected on assessment No. 37 from the members of said society, thru the collectors, up to the 12th day of October, 1917, and checked out on that date in full payment of all claims which have been adjusted and allowed by the trustees of said society, the sum of seventeen thousand and fifty-six dollars and twenty cents (\$17,056.20) on account of the loss and damage by cyclone May 30, 1917.

There is yet due and unpaid assessments which amount to enough to pay all losses and damages which have been adjusted and allowed since the 30th day of May, the date of the great destruction by the cyclone.

It has been very gratifying to see how cheerfully all who have paid their assessments in this case, met the demand against them. Many have made sacrifices and have been hard pressed to obtain the money to meet this obligation, but did so as soon as possible and paid their money to me or other collectors in a way that showed that it did them good.

The few who have not paid, will I trust, get the proper spirit and pay the assessment at once, in order that we may promptly meet all the other losses and expenses, and be able to go into the annual meeting not owing anything.

We feel very grateful to all of the collectors who donated their commission to the society, for their generosity has enabled us to pay the cyclone damage and loss without

waiting for the collection of delinquent assessments.

Very respectfully,

W. K. CHANDLER,  
Secretary and Attorney.

M. E. Church, South, Sedgewickville

Since a change of appointments has become necessary, the pastor wishes to make the following announcement regarding the same.

On the first Sunday of each month preaching at Lebanon at 11 and night. Patton at 3 p. m.

Second Sunday—Sedgewickville at 11 and night. Trinity at 3 p. m.

Third Sunday—Saturday night and Sunday at 11 at Pleasant Valley. Patton Sunday night.

Fourth Sunday—Trinity at 11. Niswonger chapel at 3, Sedgewickville at night.

We are beginning our second year at Sedgewickville with most encouraging prospects for a good year. The pastor again asks the cooperation of all concerned in the conserving and developing our moral and spiritual resources. It has been my privilege to travel over most of the north end of the county, meeting the people and trying to preach the kingdom of God. There has always been a king reception awaiting me in every place. Now as we have come to know and understand each other let us look forward to a happy and prosperous year in the Master's cause.

During the last year our new church has been paid for. A lighting plant has been installed in the church and our parsonage is nearly cleared of debt. Thanks to those who have helped us in these matters.

C. R. BAKER, Pastor.

### Resolutions of Respect

Therefore, be it resolved that in the death of little Truman (Starkey) Reliford, the Mt. Carmel Sunday school has lost a jewel and the community a bright little boy.

Resolved, That the Mt. Carmel Sunday school tender its sincere sympathy to all the bereaved.

Resolved, That a copy of these

resolutions be sent to each of the county newspapers for publication.

MRS. BELL SLINKARD,  
MRS. ROSA YOUNT,  
J. M. HENDERSON.

### A Happy Outing

Sunday morning three cars filled with passengers started from Glen Allen and Lutesville for a day of enjoyment.

The weather was ideal and the roads fine. We went by way of the once prosperous village of Dongola, now so desolated by the storm of that dreadful black Friday when so many precious lives were snatched away, so many others maimed for life, still others left to mourn over the destruction of their once happy homes.

These brave neighbors of ours are reconstructing. They have just finished a new school house where school will open this week. New dwellings are being built and shattered ones are being repaired. The work is necessarily slow, but in course of time we hope to see a new and better Dongola.

On we drove thru the pretty town of Advance and four miles beyond where we brought up at the residence of Mrs. Mary Zimmerman. Here we were royally entertained by Mrs. Zimmerman and her fine boys. Indeed, at their abundant table we, for a brief space, forgot the hardships incident to war times.

The afternoon was passed in social chat, listening to beautiful music and looking at the fine stock grazing on the broad acres of this noble country home. Everything about this plantation bespeaks thrift, good management and old southern hospitality. The eldest son, Marvin, will soon cross the pond to help supplant Kaiserism with democracy.

Besides the twenty-three Zimmermans present there were other visitors, including Mrs. J. A. Berry, Kate Knowles, Miss Rella McDaniel and Mr. Cox.

About 4 p. m. we started for home and reached Glen Allen in time to hear a fine sermon from the new pastor, Rev. Bess, thus closing a most enjoyable day.

ONE OF THE PASSENGERS.